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THERMAL BARRIER COATING, MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF, TURBINE PART AND GAS TURBINE	:	MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 25, 2006, kindly amend the above-referenced U.S. patent application as follows: